

105.547-OPR PT. GTP

Report of Operative G T Purdy

Nov. 20th, 1926

RE: IRA B. NIXON

The following people's names were given to operative to see about Mr. Nixon:

E.C. Ridge, Edpress Co. offices at the D.L.W. Depot at Morristown, Phone 1461, Home- 11 Vail Place, phone 2077.

J.B. Headley, formerly of the prosecutor's office, 30 Watson Ave., Morristown

J. Mills, former prosecutor, Babbitt Building

Interviewed Mr. Ridge in an effort to find out about Nixon having been connected in a fake oil stock deal. He denies knowing anything about Nixon. At the present time Mr. Ridge purchases his oil from Mr. Nixon and he said he knows him for the past five years and said that when Nixon was in the piano business he used to do the expressing for him.

Interviewed Mr. Headley, but he could not give any information of value, but stated that Mr. Ridge knows something about Nixon. Operative informed that he had seen Mr. Ridge who denied knowing anything re Nixon except their business transactions. Mr. Headley then stated that he would dig around and see what information he could get for us.

Mr. Mills, the former prosecutor was out of town, attending a football game in Pennsylvanie

Operative then called at the office of Mr. John Pomfert, Jb. at 129 Market St., Patterson on the telephone but could not locate him and then called his wife who informed me that he would not be home after 6 P.M. Took the matter up with Mr. Watson, who advised me to serve the subpoena on Monday.

Returned to the court house at Somerville and received a telegram to investigate on Sunday. Also received a letter to give to Captain Costigan ^a to have investigated,

Respectfully submitted:

G T P